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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Nguyen et al. Group No.: 1751
Application No.: 10/775,989 Examiner: K.M. Vijayakumar
Filed: February 9, 2004
For: INTERFACE MATERIALS AND METHODS OF PRODUCTION AND USE THEREOF

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
(37 C.F.R. 1.114)

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. Section 1.114, for the above identified application.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTIONS 1.8(a) AND 1.10

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TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE

2. This request is being submitted:
- i. Prior to abandonment of the application

ENCLOSURES

3. Enclosed herewith is:

A Response to Final Office Action.

FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(e)).

4. This application is on behalf of:

Other than a small entity
Continued Prosecution Request Fee: \$790

FEE FOR CLAIMS

5. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:
The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col.1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Addit. Fee
Total	<u>24</u>	Minus	20	= 4	x \$50 =	\$200.00
Indep.	<u>1</u>	Minus	3	= 0	x \$200 =	\$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+ \$360 =	\$0
Total					Addit. Fee	\$200.00

EXTENSION OF TIME

6. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes a two month extension of time is needed. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an additional petition for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE(S) DUE

7. The total fee(s) due is/are:

Continued Prosecution Fee (Section 1.17(e))	\$790.00
Fee(s) for additional claims (Section 1.16(b)-(d))	\$200.00
One Month Extension	\$450.00
Total Fee(s) Due:	\$1,440.00

PAYMENT OF FEE(S) DUE

8. Please pay the fee(s) for this continued examination application as follows:


Authorization is given to charge deposit account number #500977 for all fees.

Please charge any required additional fee(s) for Section 1.17(e), Section 1.16(b)-(d) and/or Section 1.17(a)(1)-(4) to Account 500977.

INVENTORSHIP

9. This application as amended names as inventors the same inventors as previously designated for the claims.

Date: July 5, 2006


A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Sandra P. Thompson", is written over a horizontal line.

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